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## CHAPTER II

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER  
TO THE UNITED STATES ELECTED OFFICE (EO/US)  
(ENTRY INTO U.S. NATIONAL PHASE UNDER CHAPTER II)

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International Application No.      International Filing Date      Priority Date Claimed

COMMUNICATION SYSTEM, COMMUNICATION METHOD, AND PROGRAM THEREOF  
Title of Invention

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1. Applicant herewith submits to the United States Elected Office (EO/US) the following items under 35 U.S.C. § 371:

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- a. This express request to immediately begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. § 371(f)).
- b. The U.S. Basic National Fee (35 U.S.C. § 371(a)):

|                             |  |                    |  |               |              |
|-----------------------------|--|--------------------|--|---------------|--------------|
| <b>NATIONAL STAGE FEES*</b> | Basic filing fee * \$300.00  |                    |  |               | \$           |
|                             | Examination fee \$200.00   |                    |  |               |              |
|                             | Search fee \$500.00  |                    |  |               |              |
| <b>CLAIMS FEE*</b>          | (1) FOR  | (2) NUMBER FILED   | (3) NUMBER EXTRA   | (4) RATE      | \$           |
|                             | <b>TOTAL CLAIMS</b>  | 34 - 20 =          | 14   | x \$ 50.00 =  | \$700.00     |
|                             | <b>INDEPENDENT CLAIMS</b>  | 8 - 3 =            | 5  | x \$ 200.00 = | \$1,000.00   |
|                             | <b>MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S)</b><br>(if applicable)  |                    |  | + \$ 360.00   | \$0.00       |
| <b>ADDITIONAL PAGES</b>     | Basic filing fee* \$300.00   |                    |  |               | \$300.00     |
|                             | Examination fee  |                    |  |               | \$200.00     |
|                             | All other situations \$200.00  |                    |  |               |              |
|                             | Search fee \$500.00  |                    |  |               |              |
|                             | International Search Report prepared and provided to the Office \$400.00   |                    |  |               | \$400.00     |
| <b>SMALL ENTITY</b>         | Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is \$250.00 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof" |                    |  |               |              |
|                             | Total Sheets:<br>70  | Extra Sheets: ---- | Number of each additional<br>50 or fraction thereof<br>(rounded up to a whole<br>number) | 250.00        | \$0.00       |
|                             | -+Total of above Calculations  |                    |  |               | = \$2,600.00 |
|                             | Applicant hereby claims small entity status. 37 C.F.R. 1.27.<br>The above fees are reduced by 2  |                    |  |               | - \$1,300.00 |
|                             | Subtotal   |                    |  |               | \$1,300.00   |
|                             | Total National Fee   |                    |  |               | \$1,300.00   |
|                             | Fee for recording the enclosed assignment document \$40.00 (37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h)). See Item 13 below). See attached "ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET".   |                    |  |               | \$40.00      |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                | Total Fees enclosed  |                    |  |               | \$1,340.00   |

2. A copy of the International application as filed (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(2)) is transmitted herewith.
3. A translation of the International application into the English language (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(2)) is transmitted herewith.

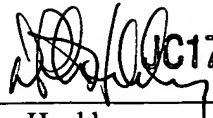
4. Amendments to the claims of the International application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(3)) are not transmitted herewith.
5. A copy of the international examination report (PCT/IPEA/409) is not transmitted herewith.
6. Annex(es) to the international preliminary examination report are not transmitted herewith.
7. A translation of the annexes to the international preliminary examination report is not transmitted herewith.
8. An oath or declaration of the inventor (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(4)) complying with 35 U.S.C. § 115 is transmitted herewith.
- II. Other document(s) or information included:
  9. An International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210) is transmitted herewith.
  10. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98 is transmitted herewith.
  11. Additional documents:
    - a. International Publication No. WO2004/084080
      - i. Front page only
    - b. Form PCT/IB/301
    - c. Form PCT/IB/306
    - d. Executed assignment with transmittal cover sheet
    - e. Preliminary amendment with clean and marked-up substitute specifications
    - f. Return postcard receipt
    - g. Credit card payment form
  12. The above items are being transmitted before 30 months from any claimed priority date.

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